



# OASIS OBSERVER

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## WELCOME TO OASIS!

This is my 5<sup>th</sup> summer as Camp Director here in Madison and my 7<sup>th</sup> summer with Oasis. I am THRILLED to be back! We are working very hard to ensure that each camp has the most AMAZING summer ever. This summer's staff is responsible, energetic, and I already know this is going to be the best summer yet for Oasis in Madison. This first week was filled with getting to know each other, making new friends, and reacquainting with friends from last year. I cannot wait to enjoy the next 7 weeks with the campers!

Samantha Westberg  
Camp Director



## WHAT'S HAPPENING NEXT WEEK?



It's Despicable Me/Minion Mayhem Week!



Wednesday, July 6<sup>th</sup> is Celebrity/Rock Star Day!



Friday is Hawaiian Luau!



## MEET OUR STAFF!

Camp Director-Samantha  
Operations Director-Kyle  
Health Director-Sarah  
Division 1 Leader-Jasmine  
Division 2 Leader-Eric  
Program Director-Sree  
Swim Director-Emma  
Teen Travel Director-James  
Office Admin-Ava  
CIT's-Ben and Sam

Dance-Aminat  
Drama-Chi Chi  
Art-Nnamdi  
Soccer-Tyshon  
Tennis-Dinh  
Outdoor Ed-Matt  
Enrichment-Nick  
Basketball-Nii  
Games-Michael  
Lifeauards-Michael. Bridaet. Lilv

D1 Counselors-Jessica, Ray, Alicia, Meghan, Bill, Katie, Matt, Sharon, Estuardo, Steph, Drew,  
D1 Wildcards-Alex, Sam D, Sam B  
D2 Counselor-Eric, Leah, Daria, Jason, John, Lisa, Mike, Josephine  
D2 Wildcard-Elizabeth, Anna  
TT Counselors-Anthony, Nicole, and Ayannah

## The 4-1-1!

Please remember to visit our blog at <http://www.oasischildren.com/our-camps/oasis-in-madison/> It is updated often and contains important information such as contact numbers, our weekly schedule, the Special Events Calendar, and much, much more! We also have a Flickr account this year. You can access the pictures here: <http://www.oasischildren.com/our-camps/oasis-in-madison/whats-happening-at-camp/> Please feel free to email us if you need the password.

## SUPERHERO SHOWDOWN!

We wrapped up Avengers week with our Superhero Showdown special event! The campers got to catch villains with hula hoops and see how fast they could change into over-sized costumes in a relay race. Then, they acted as each other's "Spidey-senses" while guiding their friends through an obstacle course and played a game to get rid of Kryptonite! Last, we practiced our poker faces while our friends tried to make us laugh with skits and our best jokes because it is very important for superheroes to keep it together. Everyone looked very fierce and powerful in their superhero gear - we were very impressed!



## Helpful Reminders!

- Ⓜ Please label all personal belongings. Backpacks, water bottles, towels, etc.
- Ⓜ Remember to send a water bottle to camp! It is hot out here and we need to stay hydrated!
- Ⓜ Please send a snack with your child each day.
- Ⓜ If you are picking your child up early from camp, please let the office staff or your division leader know so we can have your camper ready!
- Ⓜ If you are arriving to camp late, please drop your camper off at the office.

Meet Nii! I'm the basketball instructor here at Oasis. This is my fourth year at Oasis. Basketball is my favorite sport! I also love to draw and I'm currently studying graphic design at Rutgers-Newark. I really hope the campers take away the importance of believing in their own abilities, not only in athletic ability, but any aspect of their lives. Confidence is invaluable.



Hi everybody! My name is Nick, or Dr. Nick to your campers as I am the Enrichment instructor for Oasis Day Camp this year. Since graduating from college, I have been substitute teaching in other districts, and have been a teacher aide for the past two years. I have a great passion for teaching and love working with children, and this opportunity has already been a very rewarding experience. I have a lot of great science experiments and activities planned for the summer and I hope my campers enjoy them.

